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SUBJ: ICAO: AWOP SIXTH REPORT

1. MEETING CONVENED WITH LIFE CYCLE COST DISCUSSION CONTAINED IN WORKING PAPER PRESENTED BY GERMAN PANEL MEMBER. PANEL AGREED THAT SUCH COSTS MIGHT BE USEFUL. HOWEVER, THEY WERE DIFFICULT TO IDENTIFY AND WOULD NOT BE INCLUDED IN REPORT. GERMAN PANEL MEMBER CONTINUES TO PRESS FOR DLS. A DISCUSSION OF COST DIFF-ERENCES BETWEEN COSTING PROCEDURES WHICH, IF CORRECTED, WOULD ACCENTUATE TRSB ADVANTAGES. THERE WAS GENERAL SUPPORT FOR U.S. APPROACH. SUBSEQUENT VOTE WAS TAKEN ON INCLUDING WORDING IN REPORT WHICH WOULD HAVE RAISED DOUBT CONCERNING REDUCED COST OF DLS. MOTION PLACED IN THE NEGATIVE. GERMANY, FRANCE, NETHERLANDS, U.K. AND CANADA WERE FOR, U.S., USSR, IATA WERE AGAINST.
U.S. MEMBER INTRODUCED WP-310 INTERNATIONAL AVAILABILITY OF TRSB AND DMLS EQUIPMENTS. THIS PAPER DISCUSSED PATENTS. A VOTE WAS TAKEN TO INCLUDE APPROPRIATE WORDING INTO THE REPORT SLIGHTLY FAVORING TRSB ON TECHNIQUE AVAILABILITY. U.S., AUSTRALIA, IATA, USSR AND CANADA WERE FOR. U.K. STILL OFFER WORDS RELATED TO "KNOW-HOW" PAYMENT WHICH IS AIMED AT WATERING DOWN IMPACT OF PATENT COSTS.

2. PANEL NEXT TOOK UP DISCUSSION PAPER BY CANADIAN MEMBER WHICH LISTED ALL CRITICAL ISSUES IDENTIFIED IN MEMBERS JAN 20 ASSESSMENT.
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AFTER LENGTHY DEBATE IT WAS DECIDED SUBJECT WOULD BE DELAYED UNTIL ALL APPLICABLE WORKING PAPERS HAD BEEN DISCUSSED AND WORKING GROUPS HAD REPORTED BACK. OVERALL ASSESSMENT HALF THE DAY SPENT ON COSTING NO SUBSTANTIAL RESULTS OTHER THAN TRSB IS SLIGHTLY LESS COSTLY THAN DMLS. REMAINDER OF DAY ON PATENTS, WITH MARGIN FOR TRSB AND ASSESSMENTS ISSUES WITH NO CONCLUSION RESULTING.
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